WCARS INFORMATION NET – FORMAT

Good Evening. Welcome to the Western Carolina Amateur Radio Society Club Information Net.

The Net Control Operator tonight is (your call). My name is (your name).

I'm located at (your geographic location, City, ST), and the club repeater (W4MOE - 146.910 MHz - minus offset - 91.5 Hz tone) is located on top of Spivey Mountain, about 3 Miles NW of Asheville, North Carolina.

This net meets each Monday night at 8:00 PM. This is the club net, set up primarily for members to check in with club information, announcements, news and functions.

We encourage other hams in the area (new or otherwise) to become regular check-ins. You do not have to be a member in order to check in, and all WCARS members extend a special invitation for you to become one.

Club meetings are held on the first Thursday of each month at 7:30 PM on the campus of Asheville - Buncombe Tech Community College (AB Tech), in the Ferguson Building Auditorium. All interested persons are invited to attend. Visitors are always welcomed.

Any station with EMERGENCY TRAFFIC, break-in at any time by saying EMERGENCY followed by your callsign, and the frequency will be relinquished to you.

I will ask all check-ins to please give the club call sign (W4MOE), un-key to make sure you are not doubling, re-key, give your call-sign, name, location (indicate if you are mobile), if you have any announcements, and if you will be in or out for comments after check in.

At this time, let's observe a moment of silence for any lost family members, friends, or silent keys during the past week. [Pause] Thank you for the respect of the silence.

Now standing by for check-ins on the WCARS Information Net, please call W4MOE.

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CLOSING THE NET:
I appreciate all check-ins and hope you will be faithful to check in each week. We had a total of _____ (Number Count) check-ins including myself. At this time I will return the 146.910 repeater back to normal amateur use.

73, good night to all. This is (your call) clear.

(Make a list as received, recognize each one after a group has been gathered, and ask for further check-ins, repeating this step until there are no further check-ins)

(Once a group has been recognized and there are no further check-ins just now, go back to the list and have those check-ins with announcements make them.

Note: If anyone has given an announcement containing dates/times/places/contact persons, etc. ask if anyone needs a repeat or fill in case someone missed something when the announcement was made.

Once these are complete, begin at the top of the list asking for comments from those who have stayed in for the net.)

Once all comments have been heard and you have asked for additional check-ins and found none, proceed to close the net.